This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

## **Listing of Claims:**

1. (currently amended) A percutaneous myocardial revascularization marking and therapeutic or diagnostic agent <u>catheter</u> delivery system comprising:

a treatment catheter having a proximal end interconnected with a source of tissue ablative energy and a distal end for applying that energy to the heart wall to create a channel therein; and

a channel marking and drug delivery catheter subsystem connected to an imaging medium source and a source of a therapeutic or diagnostic agent and having a distal end proximate the distal end of the treatment catheter for applying both an imaging medium and the therapeutic or diagnostic agent in or proximate the channel.

- 2. (original) The system of claim 1 in which the channel marking and drug delivery catheter subsystem includes two catheters, one marking catheter having a distal end proximate the treatment catheter for applying the imaging medium, and a therapeutic or diagnostic agent delivery catheter having a distal end proximate the treatment catheter for applying the therapeutic or diagnostic agent in or proximate the channel.
- 3. (currently amended) A method of marking and delivery to a percutaneous myocardial revascularization channel a therapeutic or diagnostic agent, the method comprising:

inserting a catheter into a chamber of a heart of a patient;

applying tissue ablative energy through said catheter to create a channel in the heart wall;

introducing to the heart wall <u>through said catheter</u> in or proximate the channel an imaging medium for marking the position of that channel for imaging;

viewing said imaging medium via an external imaging device positioned outside of said patient; and

introducing to the heart wall proximate the channel or in the channel a therapeutic or diagnostic agent.